

Regulatory Fairness Hearing for Small Business

**August 18, 2006
Anchorage, AK**

Small business owners have an opportunity to discuss concerns about federal regulatory compliance and enforcement issues during this event sponsored by the U. S. Small Business Administration.

WHO: SBA National Ombudsman Nicholas Owens and members of SBA's Regulatory Fairness Board for Region IX will meet with community leaders, members of trade and business associations, small business owners and invited members of the congressional delegation to discuss concerns about **federal regulatory compliance and enforcement** in the region.

WHERE: Z.J. Loussac Library
Assembly Chamber
3600 Denali St.
Anchorage AK 99503

WHEN: August 18, 2006
Registration: 8:30 a.m. – 9:00a.m.
Hearing: 9:00 a.m. – 11:30 p.m.

Small business owners may testify during the hearing by registering in advance. Contact Sam Dickey of the SBA Alaska District Office at (907) 271-4844 or send an email to sam.dickey@sba.gov. Testimony may be submitted in writing in advance or at the hearing. Anyone desiring confidentiality may request that his or her name not be released and may submit written testimony in lieu of a public appearance at the hearing.

For more information, visit the Office of the National Ombudsman's website at www.sba.gov/ombudsman.



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